

STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

Proclamation

WHEREAS; the State of Wisconsin recognizes the importance of giving children permanent, safe, and loving families through adoption; and

WHEREAS; there are 4,300 children in Wisconsin waiting for reunification or a permanent home; and

WHEREAS; in 2013, the number of finalized adoptions of children in the child welfare system in Wisconsin was 726; and

WHEREAS; every successful adoption is more than an achievement for these children and their adoptive families, it is a success story for all of Wisconsin;

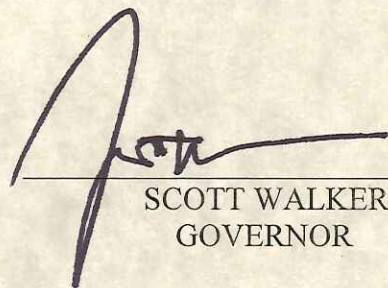
NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim November 2014, as

ADOPTION MONTH

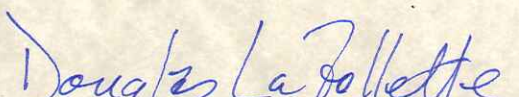
throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and caused the Great
Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed.
Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison
this 17th day of October 2014.


SCOTT WALKER
GOVERNOR

By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State